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PRESIDENT WILSON REPLIES TO SPEECH OF COUNT CZERNIN AND HERTLING: LENIENT WITH THE AUSTRIAN PREMIER

HE APPEARS BEFORE CONGRESS AT HIGH NOON AND UNMERCIFULLY FLAYS DECEIT OF GERMAN RULERS

INVITES AUSTRIA TO TALK PEACE

(By United Press)

By Robert J. Bender

Washsington, Feb. 11—A shot at German deceit and an "olive branch" to Austria—this was the President's answer today to the war aims speeches of Count Hertling and Count Czernin and the German and Austrian chancellors.

America is mobilizing her strength to fight to the end that war aims and peace may come at the same time and with the unmasking of German autocracy and an advance toward a settlement which is right, the President declared.

He invited Austria to further discussion of peace with the United States. In a remarkable speech to a joint session of Congress the President laid down the basis for such negotiations.

The President asserted "we can an- the candid remarks of Austria uch less embarrassment than w ld to Germany."

The President laid down the basis for further negotiations on the following:

1. That each part of the final settlement must be based upon justice and upon such adjustment as will bring peace that will be permanent;

2. That peoples and provinces are not to be bartered about from sovereignty to sovereignty as if mere chattels and pawns in a game;

But that: 3...Every territorial settlement involved in this war must be made in the interest and for the betterment of the population concerned, and it is not to be a part of a mere adjustment or compromise of claims among rival states; and

4 That all war defeated nations aspirations should be accorded the utmost satisfaction that can be accorded them without involving new or old elements of discord that would be likely in time to beak the peace of Europe and the peace of the world.

At the same time the President scathingly attacked the reply of Count Hertling to the message of the President to Congress on January 8.

At the recent war council in Versailles of which the United States had no official representative it was decided by the Premiers of England France and Italy to throw down the replies of Hertling and Czernin. The President's statement to Congress today is in a measure to correct any misapprehension in the Central Powers that might have resulted from the allies conference.

No peace is possible, he daclured, on erman Count Hertling's basis involving bartering and concessions.

The address was another broadside of the President's campaign for "open air diplomacy."

"Germany" the President declared, "is trying to arrange a peace through the methods of Congress at Vienna. We cannot and will not return to that."

He scathingly attacked Count Hertling's recent war aims speech as "vague, confusing and full of pleasing phraes.

"On the other hand Count Czenin, the Austrian premier," he said, seemed to see the fundamental elements of peace, with a clear eye and does not try obscure it." He expressed belief that Czenin would have gone into further discussion of peace "if Austria had not been aligned with and depending upon Germany."

"To the end for which America is fighting the United States is rapidly mobilizing its resources. It is sending its army to the fighting line and is putting her whole strength into this war of emancipation, and all the while she is ready to be shown that the settlements she had suggested are not the best and the most durable.

"America's force is not a menace to nations or peoples. It will ever represent freedom."

HIGH SPOTS OF WILSON'S SPEECH

"America is ready to be shown that the settlement she has suggested is not the best."

"However she cannot see her way to peace until the causes of this war are removed."

"We cannot look with favor on the basis which Count Hertling proposed."

"The end of the war depends upon a just settlement of each of the several problems which I mentioned in my recent address to Congress."

"There shall be no annexation, no centributions and no indemnities."

" 'Self-determination' is not a mere phrase."

HAIG'S REPORT

London, Feb. 11—A successful raid on German possessions southeast of Messines by the Australians was reported Field Marshal Haig today. In addition to inflicting casualties the Australians drove back the Germans 28 miles. In the Merckem sector a Belgian patrol successfully attacked a hostile position and the whole German garrison was wiped out and a machine gun was captured.

DROPPED HIS SHOVEL TO FIGHT GERMANS

George Henery, son of W. A. Henery of Mahaffey R. D. 1, was among the engineers, who dropped their shovels and went to do their bit, when the Germans attempted to drive the Allies from the position they had gained after the breaking of the Hindenburg line on the Cambrain front. George wrote home that he went into that encounter and fought the Germans in the hand-to-hand encounter. He is well known in Mahaffey.

NO GREAT OFFENSIVE IN SIGHT

London, Feb. 11—There is no indication of an immediate great German offensive on the Western front, according to the military correspondent of the Express. He declared that the present conditions will last for over a fortnight.

WARD CHAIRMEN ARE APPOINTED FOR THE SMILEAGE DRIVE

The Smilage oBok campaign is on. These wonderful little books which are destined to fill the aching void in the idle hours of the soldiers were very late in reaching Clearfield but the full amount of 1100 books reached Clearfield this morning and Chairmon O. Bruce Porter is hard at work today putting the finishing touches on the program mapped out for this city. He has appointed the following ward chairmen who will start to work at once to place the books with those who have a wholesome regard for the welfare of our soldier boys. Every man and woman in Clearfield who enjoys the movies, a game of pool, a cigar or a band concert will readily appreciate what these little book will mean to the fellow who perhaps does not have the wherewith to purchase a ticket. Another and greater phase of this amusement question as it relates to the soldiers is that while they are enjoying wholesome amusement in the form of musicales and light comedy they are far removed from the temptation to seek out the kind of amusement which dissipates them.)

Following are the Chairmen:

First ward, George M. Rosser.
Second ward, John A. Stock.
Third ward, Ralph Jordon.
Fourth ward, M. M. Overly.

P. S. Smileag books will be on sale at The Progress office this evening. Drop in and get one to start the ball rolling. The price is only $1.

ALL CLEARFIELD COUNTIANS ON TUSCANIA SAFE

According to published lists of survivors in the "Tuscania" sinking, Corporal Basil Spellen, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Spellen, of DuoBis, was saved. This is also true of David Rishell, of Punxsutawney, and Corporal Carl Pearson of Ridgway. The three young men are given as among those who were safely landed, and is accepted as official, although no personal notice to this effect has been received from the war department. The news of the safe landing of young Spellen will be heard with great relief by the many friends of the family in DuBois.

There were some other young men from this vicinity on the ill-fated ship but their fate has not yet been decided.

Details in regard to the saving of these young men will be anxiously awaited, and there is no doubt of the fact that they will have something worth while to tell of their experiences.

TOO DARNED HONEST

Saturday the following notice appeared on page four of The Progress: "The Progress is pleased to announce that it can not guarantee a circulation of over 2400 to its advertisers. To be exact the figures are today 2413." The notice should have read "can now guarantee" instead of "can not guarantee" and the only way we can acount for the change is that the linotype operator thought we were getting too honest and changed the statement to meet her own views

CRESCENT BAND HAS MADE A WONDERFUL ADVANCEMENT

The Crescent band of Curwensville was originally organized in July 1912 under the title of Italian band. The first president was Letterio Errigo, the first manager Mender Brunetti Secretary and Treasurer, T. Brunetti and musical director, Horatio Circolo.

From a beginning of only a half dozen musicians capable of playing even ordinary grades of music Mr. Circolo began teaching many of the younger music-loving Italians until his membership eventually numbered 32 men who played their first concert in Curwensville in October, 1912.

Relatively steady progress was made until July 1915 when the strictly Italian character of the band was merged to a mixture of Italians and Americans. It was deemed advisable in July 1915 to reorganize the band under the title of the Citizens band. A new manager was elected, D. W. Sullivan, who is now the assistant manager of the Crescent band and the active head of its business affairs.

Early in 1917 the band conisted almost entirely of Bickford Fire Brick company employees. In the growth of any musical organization of this character it usually develops that if substantial progress is made the financial requirements of the organization exceed its ability to finance itself and in view of the fact that the band was composed of Bickford employees the company decided to finance the band and in its reorganization a new and present name was adopted.

During the past year a solid organization has been effected and at the present time an application for a charter is being filed. It will probably be only a matter of a few months until the instrumentation of the band will be as nearly complete as that of any organization in the country.

From a distinctly amateur effort the band has won the ability to play the most difficult standard overtures in a creditable fashion, some of them, as a matter of fact brilliantly. It

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DOCTORS AT CAMP LEE WILL MAKE 'EM GOOD AS NEW

When the call comes for men to make up the second National Army there will be very few rejections on physical grounds, according to the instructions given local Exemption and Examining Boards by Captain Sample, Medical Inspector for Camp Lee, at the joint meeting held in Punxsutawney last Friday. In his talk Captain Sample started out by saying: "Accept fo military service everyone who is good enough physcally to make a living.

"If they ned weight, we'll put it on them. If they're too fat, we'll take it off them. If they need operation, or treatment, we'll give them the best there is," declared Captain Sample. "We're willing to spend all of three or four months treating a man if it'll make him fit for service."

Under the instructions the examining boards will reject hardly anyone-

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HOME CAMP WOMAN ENDED HER LIFE BY CUTTING THROAT

One of the saddest deaths that have occurred in the community for many years took place at Home Camp yesteray, at which time Mrs. Mary Kline a well-known resident of that community, committed ssuicide, slashing her throat with a butcher knife. It is believed that the suicide of Mrs Kline is directly attributable to the war. Mrs. Kline has two sons now in the army and two more are called for the near future. Ever since the call has come for knitting for the soldiers Mrs. Kline hal been busily engaged, and it is known that she worried to a considerable extent about her sons. She had also worked long hours in the preparation of knitted articles and at the time of her death had about two dozen socks hanging up ready for shipment.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Kline rose as usual and prepared the breakfast. She was going out to milk the cows, but Mr. Kline told her that he and the boys would do that while she and the girls washed the dishes. This the woman did, and when Mr. Kline returned to the house he noticed that Mrs. Kline was not present. Asked where she was, Mr. Kline was told that Mrs. Kline had gone to the outhouse. After a time Mrs. Kline did not return and an investigation was made. The door of the outhoue walocked, and when it was battered down the dead body of Mrs. Kline was disclosd to their horrified view. The woman had taken a butcher knife from the house, and with it had killed herself. The nerve she displayed was unusual. She had put the knife in the center of her throat and twisted it around until she severed the jugular vein and the big arteries in the neck, causing her death within a short time as the result of loss of blood.

Mrs. Kline was the mother of thirteen children and was a splendid type of womanhood, rearing her large family in a true spirit of Christian sacrifice and mother devotion. But her good deeds were not alone confined to her home. The entire community knew her as a woman who always stood ready to assist a neighbor in time of trouble. Her death in such a tragic manner profoundly shocked the entire neighborhood.

THIRD WARD CITIZEN DIES

Henry A. Hooven died at his home on West Fifth avenue at 1.55 o'clock this morning aged 66 years, 7 months and 8 days.

The deceased, who had been a resident of Clearfield for the past thirty-six years, was a sober, industrious, hardworking good citizen at all times and enjoyed the respect of all who knew him. His health failed several years ago and he had been an invalid, suffering from a complication of diseases, for a long time.

He is survived by the following children: Harry C., of Halloway, Ohio; Edward E., of Lorain, Ohio; George, of Newark, Ohio; William, Mrs. H. H. Zimmerman, Doyle O., and Howard, all, of Clearfield.

NOTICE

The C. I. C.s of the West Side M. E. Church will hold a meeting at the church Thursday evening at 7.30. All members are urged to attend. Important business to be transacted.

BOYS!

Be sure to read "The Trumpet Call" on the editorial page.

THE RUSSIAN BOLSHEVIKI DEFINITELY OUT OF WAR

(By United Press)

Amsterdam, Feb. 11.—The Russian-Bolsheviki government has definately withdrawn from the war. She has ordered the complete demobilization of the Russian forces on all fronts it was reported here today. Dispatches received from Brest-Litovsk declared that Lenine Trotsky, Foreign Minister, had refused to sign a formal peace pact but asserted that "the war with the Central Powers is ended".

AN INTIMATE VIEW OF INTERNAL CONDITIONS IN CENTRAL EMPIRES

Editor's Note: Wm. Phillip Simms, United Press staff correspondent, who has been on all battle fronts in the European war zone, was recently assigned to make personal investigation of the actual state of affairs in the Central Powers through the best possible sources of accurate information. His reports from Zurich, Switzerland, will appear in this paper in four different stories of which the following is the first:

By William Phillip Simms
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
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Zurich, Switzerland, Feb. 11.—An ominous unrest is growing daily thruout the Central Empires. Germany and Austria will not negotiate for peace until the people of both countries demand it. If the Allies stand pat on the Wilsonian program and make a stonewall of the western front the end of the war is in sight. This statement upon the situation is sent by me at this time. It does not mean that Germany is on the brink of a revolution, but it does mean that the people are tired of war and oppose the pan-German policy of conquest. They are angered at the privations at home and the loss of men folk at the front. At the same time they believe President Wilson is sincere in his statement of war aims. There is no doubt but that the German masses are beginning to see the light.

Only the diplomatic blunders of the Allies have kept the war party bound together this long. For instance Phillip Schiedemann, eighteen months ago, threatened something little short of a revolution unless the Junkers changed their tone. Shortly after this the Allies published an intimation that the war would not be stopped until the Central Powers were disrupted. Thereupon Schiedmann and his followers automatically aligned themselves with the government. Like rats in a corner they meant to fight.

Judging from what everyone fresh from Germany is saying, the Allies are now on the right track in that they are only continuing the war until the German war party gives up its ambition for world conquest and are ready to make an equable peace—but until then they will fight relentlessly.

Today the masses of Germany and Austria are in the mood to listen to reason. From the most dependable sources I have learned that the dominant conditions in both countries are appalling. Austria is threatened with disruption. The death rate is higher than the brth rate. The recent strike broke out spontaneously, because the people desired peace and were hungry. Illness is rampant.

The death rate is still mounting A serious malady known as the "bread disease" is multiplying. The rich are still living well. They either bribe or pay the high prices asked or send their families to neutral countries.

TIME OF CONCERT

The Crescent Band Concert will be given tomorrow night at 8 p. m.

COURT NOTES

Judge Bell handed down a decree this morning in which he granted a new trial in the case of Andrew Cowie vs. The United Traction Street Railway company of DuBois. A thirteen year old son of the plaintiff was killed by a street car while coasting on the streets of DuBois last winter and when action for damages was brought at May court in 1917 a non-suit was given.

In the case of W. H. Dinger vs. Frank Hahne, which was an ejectment suit to secure possession of a piece of real estate in Sandy township, Judge Bell made a decree directing judgment in favor of the defendant.

H. M. Pentz, of Glen Hope, through his attorneys Miller & Hartswick entered suit in the Prothonotary's office this morning against the Turley Coal Mining company in which he seeks to recover $149.42, which he alleges is due him for merchandise sold the coal company.

The first week of February civil court opened this morning with but four or five cases on the list for trial.

ELIZABETH DUFTON BECOMES BRIDE OF WM. D. READ

A wedding of interest to Cl people took place on Saturday, ruary the ninth, at Philadelphia Miss Elizabeth C. Dufton eld daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Du ton of this city was united in mar riage to William D. Reading of Franklin.

Miss Soars of Philadelphia, and Aaron Clark, cousin of the bride, were the only attendants.

Following the ceremony which took place at noon a luncheon was given by Mrs. J. O. Clark aunt of the bride, at her apartments at 3807 Chestnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. Reading will reside in Allentown, wher ethey have rented a suite in the Majestic apartments.

Mrs. Reading is one of Clearfield's most talented and popular girls. Mr. Reading is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reading of Franklin and for several years was a teacher in the Clearfield schools and now holds a lucrative position with the Bethlehem Steel Co., at South Bethlehem.

Their many friends here extend congratulations and best wishes.

RECEPTION FOR PASTOR

The Lutheran Congregation will hold a reception for their new pastor, Rev. C. W. Baker, formerly of New Oxford, in the lecture room of the church, tonight at 8 o'clock.

1,000 SMILEAGE BOOKS ARE IN CLEARFIELD TODAY

1,000 Smilage Books for the soldiers in canto ment and camp reached Clearfield today. They will be on sale tonight and thereafter they will be purchaseable at almost all large Clearfield stores and at all the banks. The War Department has allotted 1,000 books to Clearfield and vicinity. We must not fall down. Every book must be sold quickly and the nation and the soldiers shown that in this campaign, as in all others of a patriotic nature, our little community takes its place in the front rank.

These books are to be sent to the soldier designated by the purchaser or to some orphan soldier boy who needs this and even more than the fighting man with friends and relatives at home.

Let us show the soldiers that Clearfield "is there" and prove it by sending these 1,000 Smilage Books to the camps before the month is over.

You, Mr. Reader, will give one dollar for the amusement of a soldier boy? To say that you will not is unconceivable—and you will buy your Smileage Book tonight or Tuesday and get it off to the men in the cantonments.

If you have no relative or friend in the Army, send the book to the Commanding Officer of any of the American cantonments with instructions that it be sent to an orphan fighting man. He knows them and he will see that the book goes to one.—Editor.

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Buy that Smileage Book!

He who stocked up on smokes for today was a wise man in deed.

No more convincing proof of the soundness of the Republican doctrine of Protection can be found than in the growth of the dyestuffs industry in this country since the war furnished an efficient barrier against the importation of such products from Germany. According to Congressman Joseph W. Fordney of Michigan, the leading Republican on the Ways and Means Committee, we are now manufacturing about 350 of the 900 varieties of dyes made in the world. Practically all of that business has been established since 1914. Even the most radical free-trade Democrats of Congress are beginning to see, in contemplating the dyestuffs istuation, what Protetion can accomplish in the building up and maintenance of our industries.

"IN THE MORNING SOW THY SEED"

If all members of Congress were to follow the course of Representative William B. McKinley of Illinois in the distribution of their quotas of free Government seeds they would realize that no more worthy appropriation can be made than that for the purchase of seeds to be sent to the people at home. Mr. McKinley has a mailing list of all the children in his district between the ages of 8 and 12. He sends a package of seeds to each child, together with a specially prepared pamphlet from the Agricultural Department, containing simple directions for making a successful garden. The result is that there are more than 20,000 gardens in Mr. McKinley's district each season, cultivated by the children, that probably would not be planted at all if it were not for the Congressman's efforts in enlisting their interest.

A TRUMPET CALL

By George Ade

This is to the fortunate ones who, ten years from now, will be enjoying the benefits of what all future historians will call the GREAT WAR.

You boys who are getting ready to vote will know more about this war when you are plump and middle-aged than any one can possibly know this year.

When the dust has cleared away and the large events of the war can be seen from a distance, then you will understand that the issue involved had to be fought out, that the United States had to take part, that the task we are now undertaking had to be accomplished.

Let us hope that each of you can say, twenty years from now, young at the time, but I knew what the war meant, and I "

Not all of the heroes are in the trenches.

Perhaps you have heard about the Working Reserve.

It has been carefully organized under government supervision. It has received the official endorsement of the President. The whole plan is working out successfully wherever it is understood.

The trouble is that some of the boys and some of the parents are still a little doubtful regarding enlistment because they don't know how much of an obligation is assumed.

Here is the plan in a nut shell: Thousands of enlisted and selected men have gone to the training camps. It may be that thousands more will go next year. These men are being called from factories and work-shops and farms. Every factory and every farm must continue production if we are to render full service to our faithful allies during the war. How can we fill the places of the young men who have gone away to fight? We must rely upon the boys who are old enough and husky enough to work, but who are still too young for military service.

So here is a trumpet call for all city boy and town boys between the ages of 16 and 21.

Prove your patriotism and help your country by jumping in and doing the work of a soldier who has gone to the front.

The United States Boys' Working Reserve is not being organized for lads who have to work for a living

Nearly every soldier now wearing a uniform could make more money at home

You are not asked to work because you need the money. You are asked to work because your country needs your help and relies upon you to chuck aside fal e pride and join in the team work.

If your big brother can dig trenche surely you can plow corn.

Go to the recruiting officer and enlist for the Boys Working Reserve Then, when you are called upon, go and make good in the job assigned to you and win your medal and wear it and be proud of it

When the government began to organize this voluntary service among boys, so as to meet the inevitable shortage of manpower, the skeptics and fault-finders got busy They said that boys living in cities and towns never could be induced to work on farms, that farmers didn't want to have the town boys around because they would prove to be green or lazy or indifferent, and the whole thing was a fool contraption

Doesn't your common sense and your knowledge of addition and substraction tell you that if we suddenly take 1,000,000 or more men right out of the productive indutries of this country, we must either find a million men to take their place or else go short on production?

Are we going to do as they have done in England - dress the women and girls in men's garments and put them to cleaning the streets and making explosives and wiping up locomotives in round houses and doing all the hard menial tasks? We mustn't come to that— not while we have on hand a whole army of young fellows between 16 and 21, nearly every one of whom has gone in for some kind of athletic sport and is physically able and would be as mad as a hornet if you told him he was a mama's pet and not able to do a man's work

The boys between 16 and 21 can and will supply the shortage of man-power

There will be a loud call for them in 1918 and they must answer the call

DOCTORS AT CAMP LEE WILL MAKE 'EM GOOD AS NEW

(Continued From Page One)

Cases where they think men are unfit for service will be sent to the advisory medical board at DuBois, and only men who beyond any question can never be made fit for any military duty will be rejected

Men who can pass tests of 20 100 in one eye and 20 40 in the other will be taken The fact that a man has lost fingers and toes is not cause for rejection, unless he has lost all of a big toe or all of the index finger of his right hand—and even then his case is to be sent to the advisory board.

Cases where operations will better the condition, as in goiter, appendicitis, gall stones, fistula, hemorrhoids, bunions, hernia, etc., will be accepted

"We have the best surgeons in the country," said Captain Sample "We can fix up these men, and it'll be the best thing in the world for the men."

Men even 10 to 20 pounds under weight are not to be rejected. "Hammer toe" and "trigger toe" are not cause for rejection. Acute cases of venereal diseases will be accepted, Men with such infectious diseases will be isolated on arrival at camp and given treatment until cured Eczema is no cause for rejection

Captain Sample warned the boards against malignerers Most of the men who try to "put one over" in physical examinations make the attempt on the vision and hearing tests, he said —a fact which was no news to the local board here. He gave advice as to how malingering can be detected.

Lack of teeth isn't going to be a cause for rejection, either. If a man has enough teeth to allow bridgework to be put in, the work will be done for him at camp If a plate can be made for him, he is to be accepted

With this expert advice before them the Advisory Board at DuBois for this section will have plain sailing and their task made comparatively easy, but many of the fellows rejected by the local boards at the first examination will find themselves, despite this turndown listed for military service in some branch or other.

Mr. and Ms. Clyde Schultz, Mrs. Mary Bumgarner and Edgar Bumgarner attended the funeral of their old friend and neighbor S. C. Badford at Gillingham Friday.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr Jonathan Currier of Grampian, Pa, as a candidate for the office of congress to represent the 21st Congressional district composed of Clearfield, Center, Cameron and McKean counties Subject to the rules of the Republican party Primary May 21, 1918

We are authorized to announce the name of Evan J Jones of Bradford, McKean county as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the twenty-first district composed of the counties of Clearfield Centre Cameron and McKean, subject to the rules governing the Republican party P O address Bradford, Pa

STATE SENATE

We are authorized to announce the name of S J Miller of Bigler township, Clearfield county as a candidate for the office of State Senator from the 34th Senatorial district of Pennsylvania subject to the rules governing the Republican party
P O Address, Madera, Pa

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Something Interesting in the Classified Section.

JUMP FROM BED IN MORNING AND DRINK HOT WATER

Open sluices of system each morning and wash away the poisonous, stagnant matter, says authority.

A glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, drank each morning before breakfast, keeps us looking and feeling fit.

Life is not merely to live, but to live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it [illegible] to wash from the stomach [illegible] kidneys and bowels [illegible] day's indigestible [illegible] bile and poisons [illegible] cleansing, sweetening and [illegible] fying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, [illegible] who have [illegible], blood disorders, [illegible] complexion are urged to [illegible] quarter pound of limestone [illegible] from the drug store, [illegible] but little but is [illegible] to make anyone a pro[illegible] on the subject of [illegible] internal sanitation.

Your Emergency

A man said the other day "I certainly had some sense when I opened up that savings account. It pulled me out of a mighty big hole a few days ago
These unlooked for emergencies, we believe, come to everybody
Is it not a fact that you have had a few yourself?
We will be glad to serve you

Clearfield National Bank
"The Bank of Service"

Make Eave Spouting Repairs Now

The spouting on your buildings is now showing what cold weather can do to slack and inefficient work along that line.

There is going to be a rush of spouting repairs in the near future and if you would get yours repaired before the rush we suggest that you place your order now. Have our man call at your house or have him inspect any building that you own and make an estimate on the cost of repairs.

Don't put this off. It may mean spoiled walls for you and the price of repairs isn't so high that you can afford to run the risk.

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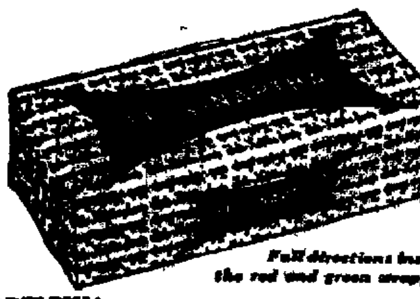
Fels-Naptha saved precious coal and gas for thousands last washday; be sure it saves for you this next washday.

Order Fels-Naptha from your own grocer today.

Remember—you don't need to use boiling water with Fels-Naptha. But that doesn't mean you should use icy water. No soap is an "ice water soap." The best way and the saving way is to use Fels-Naptha in water that suits your hands' comfort.



Full directions inside the red and green wrapper

FELS & CO., PHILADELPHIA

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

CURWENSVILLE

Mrs Rose Sweney left today for Eastern cities where she will purchase the spring millinery for the Sweney store.

Mrs Archie Bloom was a week end visitor with her sister Mrs George Norris in Clearfield

Carl Leathers while at work at the brick yard Saturday night had the misfortune to sprain and tear the ligaments loose of the left ankle which will keep him housed in for several days.

Mrs George Wood, of Grampian, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister Mrs John Michaels of South Side.

Miss Esther Robinson left for Philadelphia and New York where she will select the spring millinery for the Robinson store She will also visit her brother Maurice D Robinson who has been a patient in the University hospital Philadelphia for the past seven weeks

The Crescent band will give a concert in the High school auditorium Clearfield tomorrow night

C K Moyer, manager of the 11th St, A & P store Altoona spent Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs. D C Henchberger Mr. Moyer was formerly manager of the A. & P store in this place

Bethesda Lodge 821 I. O. O F at their regular meeting Saturday night were visited by two members of the order from the state of Massachusetts, who are here in the interest of a sick and accident insurance company that insures members of this order only

Eight of the new converts were received into the M E church at the morning service Sunday.

Mr and Mrs D C Henchberger and family have been feasting on a nice large fresh halibut sent them by their daughter Miss Nellie Patterson from Seattle, Washington

To an audience of about one hundred men Rev J Max Lantz pastor of the M E church delivered an address "Playing the Game" Sunday afternoon

The officers of the Baptist bible school for 1918 were elected at a recent meeting of the board The former officers were reelected with a few exceptions Samuel Cotino as assistant superintendent, additional home department visitors and cradle roll superintendent Mrs Elizabeth Hedgling

OLANTA

Mr and Mrs John Nelson entertained at their home Thursday evening in honor of their daughter Olga's seventeenth birthday Delicious refreshments were served and a fine time enjoyed by all present

Robt and W A Stott spent yesterday in Clearfield

Ward Rowles had business in Houtzdale this week

Miss Gertrude Parsons was shopping in Clearfield yesterday

NOTICE

The Daughters of Pocohontas will hold a special meeting at eight o clock in the Third ward hose house Every member is urged to be present

KEEP LOOKING YOUNG

It's Easy—If You Know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

The secret of keeping young is to feel young — to do this you must watch your liver and bowels — there's no need of having a sallow complexion — dark rings under your eyes — pimples — a 'bilious look in your face — dull eyes with no sparkle. Your doctor will tell you ninety per cent of all sickness comes from inactive bowels and liver.

Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician in Ohio, perfected a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil to act on the liver and bowels, which he gave to his patients for years.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, are gentle in their action yet always effective. They bring about that exuberance of spirit, that natural buoyancy which should be enjoyed by everyone, by toning up the liver [illegible] ing the system of impur[illegible]

You will know Dr [illegible] lets by their [illegible] box [illegible]

LEITZINGER BROS. LEITZINGER BROS. LEITZINGER BROS.

Linen and White Sale, February 8 to 16, A Great Saving in Prices

Conserve You Table Linens and Use Cottons is The Advice of Many Large Eastern Stores---New Linens At First Hand Are Not to be Had

Cotton damasks are an excellent substitute and are still reasonable in price

FOR THE WHITE SALE

We are showing good values at, per yard .... **50c to $1.25**

Please bear in mind prices today are low in comparison with prices soon to follow.

LADIES' MUSLINWEAR

Gowns, skirts, drawers and combinations all at reduced prices for White Sale.

A SPECIAL LOT OF PHILIPPINE HAND MADE UNDERGARMENTS

Fine soft material and exquisite workmanship

Gowns **$1.98 to $4.98**

Combinations **$1.98 to $3.98**

NEW CURTAINS FOR SPRING

Prominent in the White Sale is the display of new curtains for spring Showing all the new styles of window draperies and curtains in scrims, marquisettes, Brussels and filet nets, Irish point and Nottinghams.

During the White Sale the new stock to choose from is a splendid time to make your selections of curtains for your home Prices too are lower at this time

Call and look them over.

INTERESTING ITEMS THROUGHOUT DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE STORE

Shoe Department

2000 Pairs shoes—men's women's and children's—odd lots. **Excellent quality.** Regular price of these shoes anywhere from $2.25 to $10.00.

Children's shoes. Sale price ...... **69c to $1.79**

Boys' shoes Sale price **$1.98**

High grade girls' shoes Sale price **$2.00**

Women's shoes, sale price $2.98, $3.48, $5.00 and $7.75.

A lot of men's rain coats **$2.98**

A lot of men's dress shirts **79c**

Men's mufflers one-fourth off.

Dress Goods Counter

Special display for White Sale of new fabrics for spring—silk, cotton and light woolen materials for waists and dresses.

A special crepe de chine, 40 inches wide, $1.75 value at, yard **$1.40**

Second Floor

New silk, new serge and new voile dresses for spring in navy, copen, tan and gray.

A special display of new suits and new coats.

LEITZINGER BROTHERS

"THE BIG STORE"

Market Street, - - - Clearfield, Pa.

Classified Ads For Everybody

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A cook at the St. Charles hotel. J7 tf

WANTED—2 girls at the Leonard House. J11tfc.

WANTED—Girl for general house work Apply at 208 Locust St

WANTED—Soda clerk Lady over twenty-one years of age Steady job Apply at Stewart Drug Co F9tfc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A team of horses, weight 3,000 Age 8 years Call J R. Bridgens H & C telephone Wolf Run, Pa F 11-3tp

WANTED

OLD FALSE TEETH WANTED— DON'T MATTER IF BROKEN

I pay $2 to $15 per set. Also cash for old gold, silver, and broken jewelry. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. Will hold goods 10 days for sender's approval of my offer L. Mazer, 2007 So 5th St, Phila, Pa. J16 5w-pd

WANTED—To rent two furnished rooms for light housekeeping Lewis W Zellers, Hyde Pa 1 11 2t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Store room and fixtures, with dwelling on second floor Opposite P R R station Will rent both together or separately Call on premises or see Samuel Toney, Clearfield F6 1wc

LOST

LOST—Many a sale of something that you thought was useless and threw away Someone could have used it. Ask the Progress Adman.

LOST—Pearl ring, Saturday evening between Leonardson's store and Junior High school building on either Market or Front street Liberal reward for return to the Progress office J28 tf

DON'T BE TOO LATE

Any man, woman or child that has any notion of investing in an automobile this spring will be looking for a car that is not too high priced, easy to ride, handsome in appearance, solidly built and the most important of all cheap to operate Well we have that exact car—the Maxwell—with its straight stream line body underslung read spring, 30x3 1-2 tires all around and extra wheel with car

Holds the worlds record of miles per gallon of gasoline, also world's record of motor durability, running 22,022 miles without stopping

Order you car now and have it delivered when you want it

If you delay ordering your car till you need it, you may have to wait some time to get one, pay more money for it or take some car you dont want

Now is your opportunity If we take your order now you will be sure of getting a car when you want it and best of all at the old price!

We also handle the famous Maxwell one ton truck If you will compare this truck with other trucks you will decide that this is the truck you want for it is as good or better than trucks that cost $200 or $300 more money We can give you most any style body you want

We also handle the Racine 50,000 mile guaranteed tires and tubes and the Goodrich tires and tubes gasoline and oils We do all kinds of repair work quickly and guarantee service

Call and see us or send us your address and we will mail you catalogues so that you can see exactly what these goods are

SMITH & BARGER SALES CO
Reed St., Clearfield, Pa

Have you Read the 'Wants?'

HEAVY MEAT EATERS HAVE SLOW KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Backachy or have Bladder Trouble.

No man or woman [illegible] can make a mistake by flushing [illegible] occasionally says a well-known [illegible] Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys they become overworked from the strain get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism headaches liver trouble nervousness dizziness sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts [illegible] [illegible] the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness [illegible] which every one should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and blood pure thereby avoiding serious kidney complications. [illegible]

Why

Do you continue to risk your all without adequate fire protection when we will gladly explain any feature that you may not understand

Helmbold & Stewart
Snyder Block

CRESCENT BAND HAS MADE WONDERFUL ADVANCEMENT

(Continued From Page One)

must be remembered that aside from two or three individuals, every musician in this band has been made in Curwensville and, judging from the musical improvement made in the band in the past six months, it is fair to assume that the organization as a whole will have a brilliant future

Quite a number of members have already been selected for the national army and others are due to go in the next call but in spite of this loss the student membership behind the band is now sufficiently large to warrant that the standing of the band will not be impaired by this loss

Too much credit cannot be given the director, Horatio Circolo who has worked persistently for the past seven years, a large part of the time under considerable difficulties While the Crescent Refractorie company is constantly interested in the band it should be borne in mind that the organization is self governing The development of this principle in the band has led to an occasional outburst of friction, but none of these have been serious and with the conclusion of the present organization the band is laying a foundation for self-government which should make it an absolutely permanent organization The present active membership consists of 47 men with a considerable student list

The foregoing is a short history of the band that has so generously proffered its service without compensation of any sort, to the Clearfield chapter American Red Cross for the concert tomorrow night

Everything points to a success ful affair as the ticket sale is gaining force every day This afternoon tickets were placed on sale in many of the stores and by the time the concert begins tomorrow night the seating capacity of the High school auditorium should be tested to the limit

Did it ever occur to you that the strongest things are often in danger from the weakest?

Dr. H. W. UNDERWOOD

Veterinary Physician Surgeon & Dentist

will be at

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The German emperor is in for a rude awakening either in this world or the next

Something Interesting in the Classified Section

CHICHESTER S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.

Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the provisions of the Public Service Company Law for a Certificate of Valuation of the property, franchises, rights and credits heretofore belonging to the Rossiter Electric company which property franchises, rights and credits have been acquired by the Penn Public Service Company this application being made by the Penn Public Service Company A public hearing on this application will be held in the rooms of the Commission at Harrisburg on the 20th day of February, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard if they so desire

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GLOBE THEATRE

TONIGHT

Special Fox Feature

Gladys Brockwell with all star cast in "CONSCIENCE"

A woman's lust, ambition, extravagance, revenge—and in the end regret

In 6 Big Acts

Special Christie Comedy "THE SMOKY LOVE AFFAIR"

Music by the Famous Wurlitzer Orchestra

Shows start 1, 2:30, 4 — 6:30, 8, 9:30

Admission 10c and 15c

HOSPITAL BRIDGE CLUB MEETING

Saturday afternoon the Hospital Bridge club had the splendid patronage of fifty some ladies.

The meeting which was held at the home of Miss Ella Goodfellow on Second steet was a very agreeable success both socially and financially.

There were ten tables of progressive bridge and one of five hundred in play during the afternoon and also a number of ladies who spent the afternoon knitting.

The bridge prize was won by Mrs. J. Paul Frantz and the five hundred prize by Mrs. R. W. Austin.

Seventeen dollars and fifty cents was realized. The proceeds will go for the purchasing of silverware for the Clearfield hospital.

SHOULD HAVE BEEN BETTER REPRESENTED

London, Feb. 9—The Nation declared today in an editorial that the United States should have been represented by a nofficial delegate with authority at the recent interallied council in France. It declared that it did not know what impression the super-council had on the enemy but we are curious to know the opinion of the United States. We think it is a misfortune that a great power like the United States should be represented by a secretary to an embassy who has no political commission.

NOVELTY CONCERT BY TRINITY M. E. CHOIR

A novelty concert will be given at Trinity M. E. Church Thursday evening, Feb. 14th at 8 o'clock. There will be Mother Goose songs in costume, recitations to music and vocal numbers from Il Trovatore and patriotic numbers with ukelele accompaniment. A lunch consisting of lemon sherbet, homemade ginger snaps, dud coffee will be served. Price 25 cents. The proceeds for a Liberty Bond to be donated to the Home Missionary fund. F9-2t

Within the next few months it will be determined whether or not the nation really needs a new political party or whether the old ones will do.

W. L. Calkins, Esq., of DuBois attended to legal matters at the court house today.

SAGE TEA DANDY TO DARKEN HAIR

It's Grandmothers Recipe to Bring Back Color and Lustre to Hair

You can turn gray faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost over night if you'll get a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's sage and Sulphur Compound," at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, be cause after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur compound tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

This preparation is a toilet requisite and is not intended for the cure mitigation or prevention of disease.

Give Your Soldier

A Parker Pen

He's going to enter a new life tomorrow afternoon. He's going to get a lot of new impressions. He'll send you those impressions if you'll give him one of these pens. He'll write oftener—he'll enjoy writing—you'll enjoy getting his letters.

Get one tonight or tomorrow morning.

STEWART'S DRUG STORE

AN OBJECT LESSON AND INDICTMENT

A filmy thing of blue crepe with just a tiny bit of silver embroidery on it and a price card marked $63.35. The pretty woman who halted at the show window hesitated five minutes. Then she went in and bought it. "Why shouldn't I buy such things if I can afford to pay for them" she argued. "It keeps business going."

Pretty lady, there are several reasons why you should not buy crepe dresses embroidered with silver when your country is engaged in war.

The woman or women who made it might have made a soldier's overcoat in the same time.

That is one reason why you should not have bought it and thereby caused the manufacturers to continue employing women in useless labor.

The mill machinery used in weaving the crepe might better have been used for the making of cloth so greatly needed for the overcoat.

If you, pretty lady, refused to buy crepe fixings the mills would make something else.

And that makes two reasons why you should not buy the crepe gown.

A third reason is that the shipments of the numerous boxes containing crepe gowns and similar fripperies clutter freight terminals and hinder shipments of food and coal. While men were handling such useless commodities people were dying of hunger and plants making war necessities had to shut down for lack of coal.

On the very evening that you first wore the blue crepe a Belgian child died of starvation because the relief ship was late in loading; a soldier from your own town died of pneumonia because he had no overcoat, and the Italian line fell back with great loss of life because German spies spread the report that America was out of the war because she had no coal and no food.

There is blood on your crepe dress, pretty lady; blood on your well manicured hands and on your fashionably dressed head.

But you say you have given as much as $63.35 to war relief.

Yet but you did not give this $63.35 to war relief and that amount would keep two French ophans living for nearly a year.

It would not be much of a hardship for you to give up crepe gowns. Not so hard as service in the trenches; not so sad as sacrificing a son.

Every useless expenditure is that much you might have given to alleviate suffering; that much of a drag on speeding up of essential industries; makes you that much of an ally with him of the fierce countenance, and the withered arm.

Pretty lady, do you want to put yourself and poor dainty crepe on the side of the savage Hun?

That is where you are as long as you are spending money and keeping people working for you for extravagant and useless things.

THOMAS A. EDISON'S BIRTHDAY

New York. Feb. 11.—Today was Thomas A. Edison's seventy-first birthday anniversary and the occasion was celebrated here with a luncheon by the threescore of his old associates who have organized the Association of Edison Pioneers. Mr. Edison was cheered by their congratulations and good wishes, although he was unable to be present because of his Government work. The famous inventor is reported to be in excellent health and able to work his usual 18 hours a day.

G. O. P. DINNER TO BE DRY

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 11.—The nineteenth annual dinner of the Association of Young Republicans of Missouri to be held in this city tomorrow night is to be absolutely dry. The executive committee of the association has decided unanimously to omit the cocktails and the wine from the menu. More than 700 Republicans from all parts of Missouri are expected.

SUGAR

Tuesday Afternoon

The Food Administrator has given us a small quantity of sugar to distribute in 2-pound packages

In order to get an equable distribution we will sell one package to a family; none will be sold to children; the sugar will be sold between the hours of 2 and 4 in the afternoon; all sales cash; no packages reserved; none delivered.

These rules will be strictly adhered to

Thorn Bros.

DON'T let cheap PREMIUMS BLIND YOU to coffee Quality

WHEN you buy good coffee don't expect to get a premium. The cost of a premium always comes out of the quality. We *could* give a premium with Golden Sun Coffee, but the price would have to be increased. You would get a better premium at the 10-cent store, anyway. Golden Sun is chaffless, dustless, extra-strength. Makes more cups to the pound—each cup of delightful flavor, clear in color and free from bitterness. Sold only by grocers.

Golden Sun Coffee

THE WOOLSON SPICE CO. Toledo, Ohio

MISS BOOTH LEAVES BED TO MAKE HER FAMOUS ADDRESS

Boston, Feb. 11.—Miss Evangeline Booth, Commander of The Salvation Army, who left a sick bed to deliver her famous address, "The Stars and Stripes," stirred her large audience to repeated applause when she showed how the American emblem had ever been in the van when liberty was at stake.

Drawing a parallel between the United States flag and the Salvation Army emblem, she said they were both unfurled in Philadelphia and that the same principles were involved in establishing them upon a firm basis for the world's liberty.

The meeting, which was a special welcome to Miss Booth, had particular reference to The Salvation Army War Service, in behalf of which a drive for $1,000,000 will be made from February 12th to February 22nd—Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays.

"Once," said Miss Booth, "an old-time patriot looked out in 'the dawn's early light' to see if just one flag was 'still there'. Today it waves by the side of the grand old union jack from historic St. Paul's Cathedral, and when the young Texan with the Canadians charged up Vimy Ridge with it fluttering from his bayonet, it waved with authority France. Yes—yes—yes! but what for? From the time in that old town of Phiadephia when the continental Congress decided on the Declaration of Independence, when the old bell tolled with chimes of liberty, when a little woman's fingertips put together our national emblem, our flag has waved in token of the principles of liberty, fraternity and equality that are the principles of this nation. I am convinced that America will remain great and increase in geratness only as she adhere to the principes of her emblem, the stars and stripes, which is reminding us that it is 'righteousness that exalteth a nation'.

"Oh we Americans! Do we understand it—what it brings to us?" she said, "The opportunity—the liberty of speech, of action, of teaching, of religion! Think of it. You can love your God as you will and serve him as you will. This liberty—how I love it, the heritage of every living creature! But O what it cost! Can we grasp it?"

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

B. M. Fast left yesterday for a business trip to Johnstown.

Whitford Barrett and cousin Willard Barrett left today for Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., after being home on furlough to attend the funeral of their grandmother Mrs. Thomas W. Barrett.

Rev. John P. McCurdy preached two excellent sermons at the Presbyterian church yesterday morning and evening in the absence of Dr. Reeve who was filling the pulpit for Rev. Bieber at Tyrone. Rev. Bieber is convalescing from a serious attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Smith have returned from spending the past week with relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. A. M. Wright is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Caldwell in Tyrone for a few days.

H. C. McCloud and Sam Powell are attending the Hardware convention at New York this week.

Mrs. Leo Dugan, of Osceola, spent the week end with relatives here.

Sergeant Harold Wilson with the ambulance corps at Allentown is home on furlough to visit his mother Mrs. S. V. Wilson of Second street.

Corporal Glasgow Troxell returned to Camp Lee after spending a short furlough with his mother, sister and brother here.

H. B. Powell left yesterday for a business trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Musser left this mioning for New York City where they will spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Dowler arrived home last evening from Philadelphia where they spent the past week.

Albert Hess is home from Pittsburgh where he has been attending the University of Pittsburgh.

Sam Stewart has returned from a trip to Philadelphia and New York

Mrs. Frank Reed has returned from attending the board meeting of the Children's Aid society at Pittsburgh

Mrs. Andrew Harwick is spending several days with relatives in Huntingdon.

Lynn Merrow of Allport is attending to business in town.

F. G. Lee of Irvona, is in Clearfield on business.

John Pentz, of DuBois transatcted business in town today.

H. M. Fye of Curwensville, was in town on business today.

Wm. M. Smith of Beccaria is a juror here this week.

L. N. Smith of Osceola, is in town on business.

J. W. Michaels of Karthaus is spending the week in Clearfield.

B. B. McCreight of DuBois, is among the jurors here this week.

James Williams of Bigler, attended to business in town on Saturday.

Msr. Reuben McPherson is visiting her daughter Mrs. John Fulford at DuBois.

Mrs. oynton McPherson is ill at her home on Gulich avenue.

C. H. Barrett of DuBois transacted business at the court hous today.

APPROACHING WEDDING

The marriage of Miss Charlotte Opp Smith, daughter of Ex-Judge and Mrs. Allison O. Smith, to James Theodore Gordon of Philadelphia son of Mrs. George H. Shultz and the late Cyrus Gordon, will take place tomorrow at noon at the Smith home on Second street.

LAST PENNSYLVANIA TRAIN AT 6:35 P. M.

Beginning today the last train on the Pennsylvania Railroad to arrive in Clearfield daily from Tyrone is scheduled to reach here at 6.35 p. m

Acquaintance is frequently the one thing essential to a complete understanding between men who under other circumstances dislike each other.

SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTION OFFER THE DESIGNER FOR ONE YEAR

One copy of the Spring Fashion Quarterly including a coupon good for any 15c Standard pattern, all for only 75c.

We have made arrangement with the Standard Fashion Co, New York, to renew their yearly subscription offer. They have sent Mrs Flannigan to Clearfield to take charge of this work for one week. She will be glad to renew all subscriptions about to expire and take orders for new ones at the special offer price of 75c

This offer is good for a short time only.

A. W LEONARDSON CO

SORE THROAT or Tonsilitis—gargle with warm, salt water then apply—

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ANOTHER CONGRESS CANDIDATE

John Rischelsen, former pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Bradford, Pa., has entered the lists as a Republican candidate for congress from the twenty-first district.

W. M. Hoyt of Lumber City was a Clearfield visitor today and called at this office to subscribe for the "Progress."

Great Sale of RUGS

A Sale That Will Place Many A New Floor Covering In The Homes of Clearfield and Vicinity On Account of The Exceedingly Low Prices

Beginning Thursday, February 14th and continuing until the closing of the store on Saturday night we will offer our entire stock of rugs at prices that are just a trifle more than the wholesale cost of these rugs today.

Get ready for spring housecleaning by taking advantage of these astonishingly low prices to renew the floor coverings of your home that are beginning to look shabby after the hard winter's wear.

All Rugs Sold During The Sale For Cash Only

RAG RUG SPECIALS

These rugs are well woven of clean rags and all have fringe of contrasting color. All have fancy stripe border. Colors blue, pink, gray and some hit-and-miss combinations.

24 x 36 Rag rugs. A 75c value for **48c**
27 x 54 Rag rugs. A $1.25 value for **89c**
30 x 60 Rag rugs. A $1.50 value for **$1.10**
36 x 72 Rag rugs. A $1.75 value for **$1.39**
6 x 9 Rag rugs. A $5.50 value for **$4.48**
8 x 10 Rag rugs. An $8 value for **$6.48**
9 x 12 Rag rugs. A $10 value for **$8.49**

Axminster Rugs In The Sale

We mention a few of the great money-saving opportunities in these staple Axminster rugs. The color schemes are good and the weaving is perfect.

36 x 72 Axminster Rugs. A regular $1.50 rug at **$3.25**
9 x 12 Axminster rugs. A regular $30 rug for .. **$24.98**
9 x 12 Axminter rugs. A regular $35 rug for .. **$27.48**

Two Specials In Smyrna And Wiltons

A beautiful mottled Smyrna rug 18 by 36 inches. We've sold lots of them at $1.50 but during this sale they will go at ... **98c**

A Special Drive In Brussels Rugs

Tapestry Brussels rugs are to the furniture store what sugar is to the grocer and yet we have placed some of our best values in this sale at greatly reduced prices.

9 x 12 Brussels Rugs. Regular at $20. Sale price **$17.29**
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9 x 12 Brussels rugs. Regular at $18. Sale price **$14.98**
9 x 12 Brussels rugs. Regular at $25. Sale price **$20.98**

New Lot Of Those Little Axminsters

This is the third shipment of these little rugs and the folks who did not get one or more when the other shipments were here should take advantage of this lot. 27 x 54 size and a $3 value for **$1.95**

Bozart And Fibre Rugs

It will pay you to buy one of these for your summer porch. The number of these is limited so you better get these while they are here.

27 x 54 Size. A $1.75 value for **$1.38**
9 x 12 Size. A $11 value for **$8.98**

Just one Royal Wilton Velvet rug. Full room size—9 x 12—in the most beautiful color scheme imaginable. This is the real-est bargain of the sale. We had priced it at $50 but will sell it for **$37.50**

Knepp's Furniture Store

Second Street Clearfield, Pa.

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THE WEATHER
Fair tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.

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PRESIDENT WILSON REPLIES TO SPEECH OF COUNT CZERNIN AND HERTLING: LENIENT WITH THE AUSTRIAN PREMIER

HE APPEARS BEFORE CONGRESS AT HIGH NOON AND UNMERCIFULLY FLAYS DECEIT OF GERMAN RULERS

INVITES AUSTRIA TO TALK PEACE

(By United Press)

By Robert J. Bender

Washsington, Feb. 11—A shot at German deceit and an "olive branch" to Austria—this was the President's answer today to the war aims speeches of Count Hertling and Count Czernin and the German and Austrian chancellors.

America is mobilizing her strength to fight to the end that war aims and peace may come at the same time and with the unmasking of German autocracy and an advance toward a settlement which is right, the President declared.

He invited Austria to further discussion of peace with the United States. In a remarkable speech to a joint session of Congress the President laid down the basis for such negotiations.

The President asserted "we can an- the candid remarks of Austria uch less embarrassment than w ld to Germany."

The President laid down the basis for further negotiations on the following:

1. That each part of the final settlement must be based upon justice and upon such adjustment as will bring peace that will be permanent;

2. That peoples and provinces are not to be bartered about from sovereignty to sovereignty as if mere chattels and pawns in a game;

But that: 3...Every territorial settlement involved in this war must be made in the interest and for the betterment of the population concerned, and it is not to be a part of a mere adjustment or compromise of claims among rival states; and

4 That all war defeated nations aspirations should be accorded the utmost satisfaction that can be accorded them without involving new or old elements of discord that would be likely in time to beak the peace of Europe and the peace of the world.

At the same time the President scathingly attacked the reply of Count Hertling to the message of the President to Congress on January 8.

At the recent war council in Versailles of which the United States had no official representative it was decided by the Premiers of England France and Italy to throw down the replies of Hertling and Czernin. The President's statement to Congress today is in a measure to correct any misapprehension in the Central Powers that might have resulted from the allies conference.

No peace is possible, he daclured, on erman Count Hertling's basis involving bartering and concessions.

The address was another broadside of the President's campaign for "open air diplomacy."

"Germany" the President declared, "is trying to arrange a peace through the methods of Congress at Vienna. We cannot and will not return to that."

He scathingly attacked Count Hertling's recent war aims speech as "vague, confusing and full of pleasing phraes.

"On the other hand Count Czenin, the Austrian premier," he said, seemed to see the fundamental elements of peace, with a clear eye and does not try obscure it." He expressed belief that Czenin would have gone into further discussion of peace "if Austria had not been aligned with and depending upon Germany."

"To the end for which America is fighting the United States is rapidly mobilizing its resources. It is sending its army to the fighting line and is putting her whole strength into this war of emancipation, and all the while she is ready to be shown that the settlements she had suggested are not the best and the most durable.

"America's force is not a menace to nations or peoples. It will ever represent freedom."

HIGH SPOTS OF WILSON'S SPEECH

"America is ready to be shown that the settlement she has suggested is not the best."

"However she cannot see her way to peace until the causes of this war are removed."

"We cannot look with favor on the basis which Count Hertling proposed."

"The end of the war depends upon a just settlement of each of the several problems which I mentioned in my recent address to Congress."

"There shall be no annexation, no centributions and no indemnities."

" 'Self-determination' is not a mere phrase."

HAIG'S REPORT

London, Feb. 11—A successful raid on German possessions southeast of Messines by the Australians was reported Field Marshal Haig today. In addition to inflicting casualties the Australians drove back the Germans 28 miles. In the Merckem sector a Belgian patrol successfully attacked a hostile position and the whole German garrison was wiped out and a machine gun was captured.

DROPPED HIS SHOVEL TO FIGHT GERMANS

George Henery, son of W. A. Henery of Mahaffey R. D. 1, was among the engineers, who dropped their shovels and went to do their bit, when the Germans attempted to drive the Allies from the position they had gained after the breaking of the Hindenburg line on the Cambrain front. George wrote home that he went into that encounter and fought the Germans in the hand-to-hand encounter. He is well known in Mahaffey.

NO GREAT OFFENSIVE IN SIGHT

London, Feb. 11—There is no indication of an immediate great German offensive on the Western front, according to the military correspondent of the Express. He declared that the present conditions will last for over a fortnight.

WARD CHAIRMEN ARE APPOINTED FOR THE SMILEAGE DRIVE

The Smilage oBok campaign is on. These wonderful little books which are destined to fill the aching void in the idle hours of the soldiers were very late in reaching Clearfield but the full amount of 1100 books reached Clearfield this morning and Chairmon O. Bruce Porter is hard at work today putting the finishing touches on the program mapped out for this city. He has appointed the following ward chairmen who will start to work at once to place the books with those who have a wholesome regard for the welfare of our soldier boys. Every man and woman in Clearfield who enjoys the movies, a game of pool, a cigar or a band concert will readily appreciate what these little book will mean to the fellow who perhaps does not have the wherewith to purchase a ticket. Another and greater phase of this amusement question as it relates to the soldiers is that while they are enjoying wholesome amusement in the form of musicales and light comedy they are far removed from the temptation to seek out the kind of amusement which dissipates them.)

Following are the Chairmen:

First ward, George M. Rosser.
Second ward, John A. Stock.
Third ward, Ralph Jordon.
Fourth ward, M. M. Overly.

P. S. Smileag books will be on sale at The Progress office this evening. Drop in and get one to start the ball rolling. The price is only $1.

ALL CLEARFIELD COUNTIANS ON TUSCANIA SAFE

According to published lists of survivors in the "Tuscania" sinking, Corporal Basil Spellen, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Spellen, of DuoBis, was saved. This is also true of David Rishell, of Punxsutawney, and Corporal Carl Pearson of Ridgway. The three young men are given as among those who were safely landed, and is accepted as official, although no personal notice to this effect has been received from the war department. The news of the safe landing of young Spellen will be heard with great relief by the many friends of the family in DuBois.

There were some other young men from this vicinity on the ill-fated ship but their fate has not yet been decided.

Details in regard to the saving of these young men will be anxiously awaited, and there is no doubt of the fact that they will have something worth while to tell of their experiences.

TOO DARNED HONEST

Saturday the following notice appeared on page four of The Progress: "The Progress is pleased to announce that it can not guarantee a circulation of over 2400 to its advertisers. To be exact the figures are today 2413." The notice should have read "can now guarantee" instead of "can not guarantee" and the only way we can acount for the change is that the linotype operator thought we were getting too honest and changed the statement to meet her own views

CRESCENT BAND HAS MADE A WONDERFUL ADVANCEMENT

The Crescent band of Curwensville was originally organized in July 1912 under the title of Italian band. The first president was Letterio Errigo, the first manager Mender Brunetti Secretary and Treasurer, T. Brunetti and musical director, Horatio Circolo.

From a beginning of only a half dozen musicians capable of playing even ordinary grades of music Mr. Circolo began teaching many of the younger music-loving Italians until his membership eventually numbered 32 men who played their first concert in Curwensville in October, 1912.

Relatively steady progress was made until July 1915 when the strictly Italian character of the band was merged to a mixture of Italians and Americans. It was deemed advisable in July 1915 to reorganize the band under the title of the Citizens band. A new manager was elected, D. W. Sullivan, who is now the assistant manager of the Crescent band and the active head of its business affairs.

Early in 1917 the band conisted almost entirely of Bickford Fire Brick company employees. In the growth of any musical organization of this character it usually develops that if substantial progress is made the financial requirements of the organization exceed its ability to finance itself and in view of the fact that the band was composed of Bickford employees the company decided to finance the band and in its reorganization a new and present name was adopted.

During the past year a solid organization has been effected and at the present time an application for a charter is being filed. It will probably be only a matter of a few months until the instrumentation of the band will be as nearly complete as that of any organization in the country.

From a distinctly amateur effort the band has won the ability to play the most difficult standard overtures in a creditable fashion, some of them, as a matter of fact brilliantly. It

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DOCTORS AT CAMP LEE WILL MAKE 'EM GOOD AS NEW

When the call comes for men to make up the second National Army there will be very few rejections on physical grounds, according to the instructions given local Exemption and Examining Boards by Captain Sample, Medical Inspector for Camp Lee, at the joint meeting held in Punxsutawney last Friday. In his talk Captain Sample started out by saying: "Accept fo military service everyone who is good enough physcally to make a living.

"If they ned weight, we'll put it on them. If they're too fat, we'll take it off them. If they need operation, or treatment, we'll give them the best there is," declared Captain Sample. "We're willing to spend all of three or four months treating a man if it'll make him fit for service."

Under the instructions the examining boards will reject hardly anyone-

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HOME CAMP WOMAN ENDED HER LIFE BY CUTTING THROAT

One of the saddest deaths that have occurred in the community for many years took place at Home Camp yesteray, at which time Mrs. Mary Kline a well-known resident of that community, committed ssuicide, slashing her throat with a butcher knife. It is believed that the suicide of Mrs Kline is directly attributable to the war. Mrs. Kline has two sons now in the army and two more are called for the near future. Ever since the call has come for knitting for the soldiers Mrs. Kline hal been busily engaged, and it is known that she worried to a considerable extent about her sons. She had also worked long hours in the preparation of knitted articles and at the time of her death had about two dozen socks hanging up ready for shipment.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Kline rose as usual and prepared the breakfast. She was going out to milk the cows, but Mr. Kline told her that he and the boys would do that while she and the girls washed the dishes. This the woman did, and when Mr. Kline returned to the house he noticed that Mrs. Kline was not present. Asked where she was, Mr. Kline was told that Mrs. Kline had gone to the outhouse. After a time Mrs. Kline did not return and an investigation was made. The door of the outhoue walocked, and when it was battered down the dead body of Mrs. Kline was disclosd to their horrified view. The woman had taken a butcher knife from the house, and with it had killed herself. The nerve she displayed was unusual. She had put the knife in the center of her throat and twisted it around until she severed the jugular vein and the big arteries in the neck, causing her death within a short time as the result of loss of blood.

Mrs. Kline was the mother of thirteen children and was a splendid type of womanhood, rearing her large family in a true spirit of Christian sacrifice and mother devotion. But her good deeds were not alone confined to her home. The entire community knew her as a woman who always stood ready to assist a neighbor in time of trouble. Her death in such a tragic manner profoundly shocked the entire neighborhood.

THIRD WARD CITIZEN DIES

Henry A. Hooven died at his home on West Fifth avenue at 1.55 o'clock this morning aged 66 years, 7 months and 8 days.

The deceased, who had been a resident of Clearfield for the past thirty-six years, was a sober, industrious, hardworking good citizen at all times and enjoyed the respect of all who knew him. His health failed several years ago and he had been an invalid, suffering from a complication of diseases, for a long time.

He is survived by the following children: Harry C., of Halloway, Ohio; Edward E., of Lorain, Ohio; George, of Newark, Ohio; William, Mrs. H. H. Zimmerman, Doyle O., and Howard, all, of Clearfield.

NOTICE

The C. I. C.s of the West Side M. E. Church will hold a meeting at the church Thursday evening at 7.30. All members are urged to attend. Important business to be transacted.

BOYS!

Be sure to read "The Trumpet Call" on the editorial page.

THE RUSSIAN BOLSHEVIKI DEFINITELY OUT OF WAR

(By United Press)

Amsterdam, Feb. 11.—The Russian-Bolsheviki government has definately withdrawn from the war. She has ordered the complete demobilization of the Russian forces on all fronts it was reported here today. Dispatches received from Brest-Litovsk declared that Lenine Trotsky, Foreign Minister, had refused to sign a formal peace pact but asserted that "the war with the Central Powers is ended".

AN INTIMATE VIEW OF INTERNAL CONDITIONS IN CENTRAL EMPIRES

Editor's Note: Wm. Phillip Simms, United Press staff correspondent, who has been on all battle fronts in the European war zone, was recently assigned to make personal investigation of the actual state of affairs in the Central Powers through the best possible sources of accurate information. His reports from Zurich, Switzerland, will appear in this paper in four different stories of which the following is the first:

By William Phillip Simms
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
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Zurich, Switzerland, Feb. 11.—An ominous unrest is growing daily thruout the Central Empires. Germany and Austria will not negotiate for peace until the people of both countries demand it. If the Allies stand pat on the Wilsonian program and make a stonewall of the western front the end of the war is in sight. This statement upon the situation is sent by me at this time. It does not mean that Germany is on the brink of a revolution, but it does mean that the people are tired of war and oppose the pan-German policy of conquest. They are angered at the privations at home and the loss of men folk at the front. At the same time they believe President Wilson is sincere in his statement of war aims. There is no doubt but that the German masses are beginning to see the light.

Only the diplomatic blunders of the Allies have kept the war party bound together this long. For instance Phillip Schiedemann, eighteen months ago, threatened something little short of a revolution unless the Junkers changed their tone. Shortly after this the Allies published an intimation that the war would not be stopped until the Central Powers were disrupted. Thereupon Schiedmann and his followers automatically aligned themselves with the government. Like rats in a corner they meant to fight.

Judging from what everyone fresh from Germany is saying, the Allies are now on the right track in that they are only continuing the war until the German war party gives up its ambition for world conquest and are ready to make an equable peace—but until then they will fight relentlessly.

Today the masses of Germany and Austria are in the mood to listen to reason. From the most dependable sources I have learned that the dominant conditions in both countries are appalling. Austria is threatened with disruption. The death rate is higher than the brth rate. The recent strike broke out spontaneously, because the people desired peace and were hungry. Illness is rampant.

The death rate is still mounting A serious malady known as the "bread disease" is multiplying. The rich are still living well. They either bribe or pay the high prices asked or send their families to neutral countries.

TIME OF CONCERT

The Crescent Band Concert will be given tomorrow night at 8 p. m.

COURT NOTES

Judge Bell handed down a decree this morning in which he granted a new trial in the case of Andrew Cowie vs. The United Traction Street Railway company of DuBois. A thirteen year old son of the plaintiff was killed by a street car while coasting on the streets of DuBois last winter and when action for damages was brought at May court in 1917 a non-suit was given.

In the case of W. H. Dinger vs. Frank Hahne, which was an ejectment suit to secure possession of a piece of real estate in Sandy township, Judge Bell made a decree directing judgment in favor of the defendant.

H. M. Pentz, of Glen Hope, through his attorneys Miller & Hartswick entered suit in the Prothonotary's office this morning against the Turley Coal Mining company in which he seeks to recover $149.42, which he alleges is due him for merchandise sold the coal company.

The first week of February civil court opened this morning with but four or five cases on the list for trial.

ELIZABETH DUFTON BECOMES BRIDE OF WM. D. READ

A wedding of interest to Cl people took place on Saturday, ruary the ninth, at Philadelphia Miss Elizabeth C. Dufton eld daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Du ton of this city was united in mar riage to William D. Reading of Franklin.

Miss Soars of Philadelphia, and Aaron Clark, cousin of the bride, were the only attendants.

Following the ceremony which took place at noon a luncheon was given by Mrs. J. O. Clark aunt of the bride, at her apartments at 3807 Chestnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. Reading will reside in Allentown, wher ethey have rented a suite in the Majestic apartments.

Mrs. Reading is one of Clearfield's most talented and popular girls. Mr. Reading is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reading of Franklin and for several years was a teacher in the Clearfield schools and now holds a lucrative position with the Bethlehem Steel Co., at South Bethlehem.

Their many friends here extend congratulations and best wishes.

RECEPTION FOR PASTOR

The Lutheran Congregation will hold a reception for their new pastor, Rev. C. W. Baker, formerly of New Oxford, in the lecture room of the church, tonight at 8 o'clock.

1,000 SMILEAGE BOOKS ARE IN CLEARFIELD TODAY

1,000 Smilage Books for the soldiers in canto ment and camp reached Clearfield today. They will be on sale tonight and thereafter they will be purchaseable at almost all large Clearfield stores and at all the banks. The War Department has allotted 1,000 books to Clearfield and vicinity. We must not fall down. Every book must be sold quickly and the nation and the soldiers shown that in this campaign, as in all others of a patriotic nature, our little community takes its place in the front rank.

These books are to be sent to the soldier designated by the purchaser or to some orphan soldier boy who needs this and even more than the fighting man with friends and relatives at home.

Let us show the soldiers that Clearfield "is there" and prove it by sending these 1,000 Smilage Books to the camps before the month is over.

You, Mr. Reader, will give one dollar for the amusement of a soldier boy? To say that you will not is inconceivable—and you will buy your Smileage Book tonight or Tuesday and get it off to the men in the cantonments.

If you have no relative or friend in the Army, send the book to the Commanding Officer of any of the American cantonments with instructions that it be sent to an orphan fighting man. He knows them and he will see that the book goes to one.—Editor.

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Buy that Smileage Book!

He who stocked up on smokes for today was a wise man indeed.

No more convincing proof of the soundness of the Republican doctrine of Protection can be found than in the growth of the dyestuffs industry in this country since the war furnished an efficient barrier against the importation of such products from Germany. According to Congressman Joseph W. Fordney of Michigan, the leading Republican on the Ways and Means Committee, we are now manufacturing about 350 of the 900 varieties of dyes made in the world. Practically all of that business has been established since 1914. Even the most radical free-trade Democrats of Congress are beginning to see, in contemplating the dyestuffs istuation, what Protection can accomplish in the building up and maintenance of our industries.

"IN THE MORNING SOW THY SEED"

If all members of Congress were to follow the course of Representative William B. McKinley of Illinois in the distribution of their quotas of free Government seeds they would realize that no more worthy appropriation can be made than that for the purchase of seeds to be sent to the people at home. Mr. McKinley has a mailing list of all the children in his district between the ages of 8 and 12. He sends a package of seeds to each child, together with a specially prepared pamphlet from the Agricultural Department, containing simple directions for making a successful garden. The result is that there are more than 20,000 gardens in Mr. McKinley's district each season, cultivated by the children, that probably would not be planted at all if it were not for the Congressman's efforts in enlisting their interest.

A TRUMPET CALL

By George Ade

This is to the fortunate ones who, ten years from now, will be enjoying the benefits of what all future historians will call the GREAT WAR.

You boys who are getting ready to vote will know more about this war when you are plump and middle-aged than any one can possibly know this year.

When the dust has cleared away and the large events of the war can be seen from a distance, then you will understand that the issue involved had to be fought out, that the United States had to take part, that the task we are now undertaking had to be accomplished.

Let us hope that each of you can say, twenty years from now, young at the time, but I knew what the war meant, and I "

Not all of the heroes are in the trenches.

Perhaps you have heard about the Working Reserve.

It has been carefully organized under government supervision. It has received the official endorsement of the President. The whole plan is working out successfully wherever it is understood.

The trouble is that some of the boys and some of the parents are still a little doubtful regarding enlistment because they don't know how much of an obligation is assumed.

Here is the plan in a nut shell: Thousands of enlisted and selected men have gone to the training camps. It may be that thousands more will go next year. These men are being called from factories and work-shops and farms. Every factory and every farm must continue production if we are to render full service to our faithful allies during the war. How can we fill the places of the young men who have gone away to fight? We must rely upon the boys who are old enough and husky enough to work, but who are still too young for military service.

So here is a trumpet call for all city boy and town boys between the ages of 16 and 21.

Prove your patriotism and help your country by jumping in and doing the work of a soldier who has gone to the front.

The United States Boys' Working Reserve is not being organized for lads who have to work for a living

Nearly every soldier now wearing a uniform could make more money at home

You are not asked to work because you need the money. You are asked to work because your country needs your help and relies upon you to chuck aside fal e pride and join in the team work.

If your big brother can dig trenches surely you can plow corn.

Go to the recruiting officer and enlist for the Boys Working Reserve Then, when you are called upon, go and make good in the job assigned to you and win your medal and wear it and be proud of it

When the government began to organize this voluntary service among boys, so as to meet the inevitable shortage of man-power, the skeptics and fault-finders got busy They said that boys living in cities and towns never could be induced to work on farms, that farmers didn't want to have the town boys around because they would prove to be green or lazy or indifferent, and the whole thing was a fool contraption

Doesn't your common sense and your knowledge of addition and subtraction tell you that if we suddenly take 1,000,000 or more men right out of the productive indutries of this country, we must either find a million men to take their place or else go short on production?

Are we going to do as they have done in England - dress the women and girls in men's garments and put them to cleaning the streets and making explosives and wiping up locomotives in round houses and doing all the hard menial tasks? We mustn't come to that— not while we have on hand a whole army of young fellows between 16 and 21, nearly every one of whom has gone in for some kind of athletic sport and is physically able and would be as mad as a hornet if you told him he was a mama's pet and not able to do a man's work

The boys between 16 and 21 can and will supply the shortage of man-power

There will be a loud call for them in 1918 and they must answer the call

DOCTORS AT CAMP LEE WILL MAKE 'EM GOOD AS NEW

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Cases where they think men are unfit for service will be sent to the advisory medical board at DuBois, and only men who beyond any question can never be made fit for any military duty will be rejected

Men who can pass tests of 20 100 in one eye and 20/40 in the other will be taken The fact that a man has lost fingers and toes is not cause for rejection, unless he has lost all of a big toe or all of the index finger of his right hand—and even then his case is to be sent to the advisory board.

Cases where operations will better the condition, as in goiter, appendicitis, gall stones, fistula, hemorrhoids, bunions, hernia, etc., will be accepted

"We have the best surgeons in the country," said Captain Sample "We can fix up these men, and it'll be the best thing in the world for the men."

Men even 10 to 20 pounds under weight are not to be rejected. "Hammer toe" and "trigger toe" are not cause for rejection. Acute cases of veneral diseases will be accepted, Men with such infectious diseases will be isolated on arrival at camp and given treatment until cured Eczema is no cause for rejection

Captain Sample warned the boards against malingners Most of the men who try to "put one over" in physical examinations make the attempt on the vision and hearing tests, he said —a fact which was no news to the local board here. He gave advice as to how malingering can be detected.

Lack of teeth isn't going to be a cause for rejection, either. If a man has enough teeth to allow bridgework to be put in, the work will be done for him at camp If a plate can be made for him, he is to be accepted

With this expert advice before them the Advisory Board at DuBois for this section will have plain sailing and their task made comparatively easy, but many of the fellows rejected by the local boards at the first examination will find themselves, despite this turndown listed for military service in some branch or other.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr Jonathan Currier of Grampian, Pa, as a candidate for the office of congress to represent the 21st Congressional district composed of Clearfield, Center, Cameron and McKean counties Subject to the rules of the Republican party Primary May 21, 1918

We are authorized to announce the name of Evan J Jones of Bradford, McKean county as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the twenty-first district composed of the counties of Clearfield Centre Cameron and McKean, subject to the rules governing the Republican party P O address Bradford, Pa

STATE SENATE

We are authorized to announce the name of S J Miller of Bigler township, Clearfield county as a candidate for the office of State Senator from the 34th Senatorial district of Pennsylvania subject to the rules governing the Republican party P O Address, Madera, Pa

JUMP FROM BED IN MORNING AND DRINK HOT WATER

Open sluices of system each morning and wash away the poisonous, stagnant matter, says authority.

A glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, drank each morning before breakfast, keeps us looking and feeling fit.

Life is not merely to live, but to live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter

Everyone whether ailing, sick or well should each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels [illegible] days [illegible] bile [illegible] cleansing, sweetening and [illegible] lying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, [illegible] who have [illegible], blood disorders, and [illegible] are urged to [illegible] quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, [illegible] but little but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

These "Angels of Mercy" Fight Death While The Boys Fight The Hun . . . .

Help Them To Have Plenty of Equipment By Attending The

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by the

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of Curwensville

at the

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Tuesday Evening 8 P. M.

The entire receipts from the sale of tickets will be given to the Clearfield Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Admission 50 Cents

DOOLEY'S DRUG STORE

Next to Leitzingers

Mr. and Ms. Clyde Schultz, Mrs. Mary Bumgarner and Edgar Bumgarner attended the funeral of their old friend and neighbor S. C. Badford at Gillingham Friday.

Something Interesting in the Classified Section.

Make Eave Spouting Repairs Now

The spouting on your buildings is now showing what cold weather can do to slack and inefficient work along that line.

There is going to be a rush of spouting repairs in the near future and if you would get yours repaired before the rush we suggest that you place your order now. Have our man call at your house or have him inspect any building that you own and make an estimate on the cost of repairs.

Don't put this off. It may mean spoiled walls for you and the price of repairs isn't so high that you can afford to run the risk.

WILLIAM F. POWELL

SECOND STREET CLEARFIED, PA.

Your Emergency

A man said the other day "I certainly had some sense when I opened up that savings account. It pulled me out of a mighty big hole a few days ago

These unlooked for emergencies, we believe, come to everybody

Is it not a fact that you have had a few yourself?

We will be glad to serve you

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The daintiest art creations of Gibson and Dennison for your celebration of the day when the little Dan Cupid holds forth Such a gathering of exquisite novelties has never been shown in this store Plain rich cards, lacy, filmy old-time valentines, little Cupids and of course the funny ones

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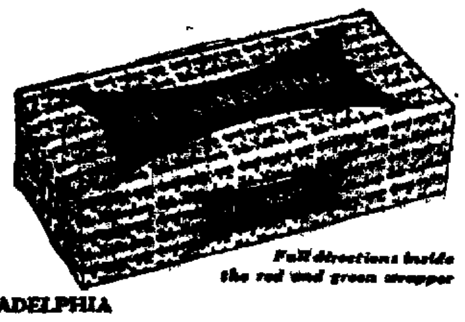
Save it next washday. Use Fels-Naptha soap and make washday boiling absolutely unnecessary.

Water of comfortable temperature is just right for Fels-Naptha and takes no extra fuel.

Fels-Naptha saved precious coal and gas for thousands last washday; be sure it saves for you this next washday.

Order Fels-Naptha from your own grocer today.

Remember—you don't need to use boiling water with Fels-Naptha. But that doesn't mean you should use icy water. No soap is an "ice water soap." The best way and the saving way is to use Fels-Naptha in water that suits your hands' comfort.



FELS & CO., PHILADELPHIA

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

CURWENSVILLE

Mrs Rose Sweney left today for Eastern cities where she will purchase the spring millinery for the Sweney store.

Mrs Archie Bloom was a week end visitor with her sister Mrs George Norris in Clearfield

Carl Leathers while at work at the brick yard Saturday night had the misfortune to sprain and tear the ligaments loose of the left ankle which will keep him housed in for several days.

Mrs George Wood, of Grampian, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister Mrs John Michaels of South Side.

Miss Esther Robinson left for Philadelphia and New York where she will select the spring millinery for the Robinson store She will also visit her brother Maurice D Robinson who has been a patient in the University hospital Philadelphia for the past seven weeks

The Crescent band will give a concert in the High school auditorium Clearfield tomorrow night

C K Moyer, manager of the 11th St, A & P store Altoona spent Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs. D C Henchberger Mr. Moyer was formerly manager of the A. & P store in this place

Bethesda Lodge 821 I. O. O F at their regular meeting Saturday night were visited by two members of the order from the state of Massachusetts, who are here in the interest of a sick and accident insurance company that insures members of this order only

Eight of the new converts were received into the M E church at the morning service Sunday.

Mr and Mrs D C Henchberger and family have been feasting on a nice large fresh halibut sent them by their daughter Miss Nellie Patterson from Seattle, Washington

To an audience of about one hundred men Rev J Max Lantz pastor of the M E church delivered an address "Playing the Game" Sunday afternoon

The officers of the Baptist bible school for 1918 were elected at a recent meeting of the board The former officers were reelected with a few exceptions Samuel Cotino as assistant superintendent, additional home department visitors and cradle roll superintendent Mrs Elizabeth Hedgling

OLANTA

Mr and Mrs John Nelson entertained at their home Thursday evening in honor of their daughter Olga's seventeenth birthday Delicious refreshments were served and a fine time enjoyed by all present

Robt and W A Stott spent yesterday in Clearfield

Ward Rowles had business in Houtzdale this week

Miss Gertrude Parsons was shopping in Clearfield yesterday

NOTICE

The Daughters of Pocohontas will hold a special meeting at eight o clock in the Third ward hose house Every member is urged to be present

LEITZINGER BROS. LEITZINGER BROS. LEITZINGER BROS.

Linen and White Sale, February 8 to 16, A Great Saving in Prices

Conserve You Table Linens and Use Cottons is The Advice of Many Large Eastern Stores---New Linens At First Hand Are Not to be Had

Cotton damasks are an excellent substitute and are still reasonable in price

FOR THE WHITE SALE

We are showing good values at, per yard .... **50c to $1.25**

Please bear in mind prices today are low in comparison with prices soon to follow.

LADIES' MUSLINWEAR

Gowns, skirts, drawers and combinations all at reduced prices for White Sale.

A SPECIAL LOT OF PHILIPPINE HAND MADE UNDERGARMENTS

Fine soft material and exquisite workmanship

Gowns **$1.98 to $4.98**

Combinations **$1.98 to $3.98**

NEW CURTAINS FOR SPRING

Prominent in the White Sale is the display of new curtains for spring Showing all the new styles of window draperies and curtains in scrims, marquisettes, Brussels and filet nets, Irish point and Nottinghams.

During the White Sale the new stock to choose from is a splendid time to make your selections of curtains for your home Prices too are lower at this time

Call and look them over.

INTERESTING ITEMS THROUGHOUT DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE STORE

Shoe Department

2000 Pairs shoes—men's women's and children's—odd lots. Excellent quality. Regular price of these shoes anywhere from $2.25 to $10.00.

Children's shoes. Sale price ...... **69c to $1.79**

Boys' shoes Sale price **$1.98**

High grade girls' shoes Sale price **$2.00**

Women's shoes, sale price $2.98, $3.48, $5.00 and $7.75.

A lot of men's rain coats **$2.98**

A lot of men's dress shirts **79c**

Men's mufflers one-fourth off.

Dress Goods Counter

Special display for White Sale of new fabrics for spring—silk, cotton and light woolen materials for waists and dresses.

A special crepe de chine, 40 inches wide, $1.75 value at, yard $1.40

Second Floor

New silk, new serge and new voile dresses for spring in navy, copen, tan and gray.

A special display of new suits and new coats.

LEITZINGER BROTHERS
"THE BIG STORE"
Market Street, - - - Clearfield, Pa.

Classified Ads For Everybody

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A cook at the St. Charles hotel. J7 tf

WANTED—2 girls at the Leonard House. J11tfc.

WANTED—Girl for general house work Apply at 208 Locust St

WANTED—Soda clerk Lady over twenty-one years of age Steady job Apply at Stewart Drug Co F9tfc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A team of horses, weight 3,000 Age 8 years Call J R. Bridgens H & C telephone Wolf Run, Pa F 11-3tp

WANTED

OLD FALSE TEETH WANTED—DON'T MATTER IF BROKEN

I pay $2 to $15 per set. Also cash for old gold, silver, and broken jewelry. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. Will hold goods 10 days for sender's approval of my offer L. Mazer, 2007 So 5th St, Phila, Pa. J16 5w-pd

WANTED—To rent two furnished rooms for light housekeeping Lewis W Zellers, Hyde Pa 1 11 2t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Store room and fixtures, with dwelling on second floor Opposite P R R station Will rent both together or separately Call on premises or see Samuel Toney, Clearfield F6 1wc

LOST

LOST—Many a sale of something that you thought was useless and threw away Someone could have used it. Ask the Progress Adman.

LOST—Pearl ring, Saturday evening between Leonardson's store and Junior High school building on either Market or Front street Liberal reward for return to the Progress office J28 tf

DON'T BE TOO LATE

Any man, woman or child that has any notion of investing in an automobile this spring will be looking for a car that is not too high priced, easy to ride, handsome in appearance, solidly built and the most important of all cheap to operate Well we have that exact car—the Maxwell—with its straight stream line body underslung read spring, 30x3 1-2 tires all around and extra wheel with car

Holds the worlds record of miles per gallon of gasoline, also world's record of motor durability, running 22,022 miles without stopping

Order you car now and have it delivered when you want it

If you delay ordering your car till you need it, you may have to wait some time to get one, pay more money for it or take some car you dont want

Now is your opportunity If we take your order now you will be sure of getting a car when you want it and best of all at the old price!

We also handle the famous Maxwell one ton truck If you will compare this truck with other trucks you will decide that this is the truck you want for it is as good or better than trucks that cost $200 or $300 more money We can give you most any style body you want

We also handle the Racine 50,000 mile guaranteed tires and tubes and the Goodrich tires and tubes gasoline and oils We do all kinds of repair work quickly and guarantee service

Call and see us or send us your address and we will mail you catalogues so that you can see exactly what these goods are

SMITH & BARGER SALES CO
Reed St., Clearfield, Pa

Have you Read the "Wants?"

HEAVY MEAT EATERS HAVE SLOW KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Backachy or have Bladder Trouble

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing [illegible] says a well-known [illegible] Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys they become overworked from the strain get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism headaches liver trouble nervousness dizziness sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts [illegible] [illegible] the kidneys also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness

[illegible] which every one should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and blood pure thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

Why

do you continue to risk your all without adequate fire protection when we will gladly explain any feature that you may not understand

Helmbold & Stewart
Snyder Block

KEEP LOOKING YOUNG

It's Easy—If You Know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

The secret of keeping young is to feel young — to do this you must watch your liver and bowels — there's no need of having a sallow complexion — dark rings under your eyes — pimples — a bilious look in your face — dull eyes with no sparkle. Your doctor will tell you ninety per cent of all sickness comes from inactive bowels and liver.

Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician in Ohio, perfected a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil to act on the liver and bowels, which he gave to his patients for years.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, are gentle in their action yet always effective. They bring about that exuberance of spirit, that natural buoyancy which should be enjoyed by everyone, by toning up the liver [illegible] ing the system of impur[illegible]

You will know Dr [illegible] [illegible]ab lets by their [illegible] box [illegible] per

CRESCENT BAND HAS MADE WONDERFUL ADVANCEMENT

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must be remembered that aside from two or three individuals, every musician in this band has been made in Curwensville and, judging from the musical improvement made in the band in the past six months, it is fair to assume that the organization as a whole will have a brilliant future

Quite a number of members have already been selected for the national army and others are due to go in the next call but in spite of this loss the student membership behind the band is now sufficiently large to warrant that the standing of the band will not be impaired by this loss

Too much credit cannot be given the director, Horatio Circolo who has worked persistently for the past seven years, a large part of the time under considerable difficulties While the Crescent Refractorie company is constantly interested in the band it should be borne in mind that the organization is self governing The development of this principle in the band has led to an occasional outburst of friction, but none of these have been serious and with the conclusion of the present organization the band is laying a foundation for self-government which should make it an absolutely permanent organization The present active membership consists of 47 men with a considerable student list

The foregoing is a short history of the band that has so generously proffered its service without compensation of any sort, to the Clearfield chapter American Red Cross for the concert tomorrow night

Everything points to a success ful affair as the ticket sale is gaining force every day This afternoon tickets were placed on sale in many of the stores and by the time the concert begans tomorrow night the seating capacity of the High school auditorium should be tested to the limit

Did it ever occur to you that the strongest things are often in danger from the weakest?

Dr. H. W. UNDERWOOD
Veterinary Physician Surgeon & Dentist
will be at
LEAVEY'S LIVERY STABLE
Every Saturday
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Make 1918 Prosperous

Write for a copy of our booklet telling how you can improve your financial condition by depositing your savings with this institution. It is entirely free—and there is no obligation.

Pittsburgh Deposit & Title Co.
331 Fourth Ave Pittsburgh, Pa.

The German emperor is in for a rude awakening either in this world or the next

Something Interesting in the Classified Section

CHICHESTER S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the provisions of the Public Service Company Law for a Certificate of Valuation of the property franchises, rights and credits heretofore belonging to the Rossiter Electric company which property franchises, rights and credits have been acquired by the Penn Public Service Company this application being made by the Penn Public Service Company A public hearing on this application will be held in the rooms of the Commission at Harrisburg on the 20th day of February 1918 at 10 o'clock A M, when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard if they so desire

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GLOBE THEATRE

TONIGHT

Special Fox Feature

Gladys Brockwell with all star cast in "CONSCIENCE"

A woman's lust, ambition, extravagance, revenge—and in the end regret

In 6 Big Acts

Special Christie Comedy "THE SMOKY LOVE AFFAIR"

Music by the Famous Wurlitzer Orchestra

Shows start 1, 2:30, 4 — 6:30, 8, 9:30

Admission 10c and 15c

HOSPITAL BRIDGE CLUB MEETING

Saturday afternoon the Hospital Bridge club had the splendid patronage of fifty some ladies.

The meeting which was held at the home of Miss Ella Goodfellow on Second steet was a very agreeable success both socially and financially.

There were ten tables of progressive bridge and one of five hundred in play during the afternoon and also a number of ladies who spent the afternoon knitting.

The bridge prize was won by Mrs. J. Paul Frantz and the five hundred prize by Mrs. R. W. Austin.

Seventeen dollars and fifty cents was realized. The proceeds will go for the purchasing of silverware for the Clearfield hospital.

SHOULD HAVE BEEN BETTER REPRESENTED

London, Feb. 9—The Nation declared today in an editorial that the United States should have been represented by a nofficial delegate with authority at the recent interallied council in France. It declared that it did not know what impression the super-council had on the enemy but we are curious to know the opinion of the United States. We think it is a misfortune that a great power like the United States should be represented by a secretary to an embassy who has no political commission.

NOVELTY CONCERT BY TRINITY M. E. CHOIR

A novelty concert will be given at Trinity M. E. Church Thursday evening, Feb. 14th at 8 o'clock. There will be Mother Goose songs in costume, recitations to music and vocal numbers from Il Trovatore and patriotic numbers with ukelele accompaniment. A lunch consisting of lemon sherbet, homemade ginger snaps, dud coffee will be served. Price 25 cents. The proceeds for a Liberty Bond to be donated to the Home Missionary fund. F9-2t

Within the next few months it will be determined whether or not the nation really needs a new political party or whether the old ones will do.

W. L. Calkins, Esq., of DuBois attended to legal matters at the court house today.

SAGE TEA DANDY TO DARKEN HAIR

It's Grandmothers Recipe to Bring Back Color and Lustre to Hair

You can turn gray faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost over night if you'll get a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's sage and Sulphur Compound," at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, be cause after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur compound tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

This preparation is a toilet requisite and is not intended for the cure mitigation or prevention of disease.

Give Your Soldier

A Parker Pen

He's going to enter a new life tomorrow afternoon. He's going to get a lot of new impressions. He'll send you those impressions if you'll give him one of these pens. He'll write oftener—he'll enjoy writing—you'll enjoy getting his letters.

Get one tonight or tomorrow morning.

STEWART'S DRUG STORE

AN OBJECT LESSON AND INDICTMENT

A filmy thing of blue crepe with just a tiny bit of silver embroidery on it and a price card marked $63.35. The pretty woman who halted at the show window hesitated five minutes. Then she went in and bought it. "Why shouldn't I buy such things if I can afford to pay for them" she argued. "It keeps business going."

Pretty lady, there are several reasons why you should not buy crepe dresses embroidered with silver when your country is engaged in war.

The woman or women who made it might have made a soldier's overcoat in the same time.

That is one reason why you should not have bought it and thereby caused the manufacturers to continue employing women in useless labor.

The mill machinery used in weaving the crepe might better have been used for the making of cloth so greatly needed for the overcoat.

If you, pretty lady, refused to buy crepe fixings the mills would make something else.

And that makes two reasons why you should not buy the crepe gown.

A third reason is that the shipments of the numerous boxes containing crepe gowns and similar fripperies clutter freight terminals and hinder shipments of food and coal. While men were handling such useless commodities people were dying of hunger and plants making war necessities had to shut down for lack of coal.

On the very evening that you first wore the blue crepe a Belgian child died of starvation because the relief ship was late in loading; a soldier from your own town died of pneumonia because he had no overcoat, and the Italian line fell back with great loss of life because German spies spread the report that America was out of the war because she had no coal and no food.

There is blood on your crepe dress, pretty lady; blood on your well manicured hands and on your fashionably dressed head.

But you say you have given as much as $63.35 to war relief.

Yet but you did not give this $63.35 to war relief and that amount would keep two French ophans living for nearly a year.

It would not be much of a hardship for you to give up crepe gowns. Not so hard as service in the trenches; not so sad as sacrificing a son.

Every useless expenditure is that much you might have given to alleviate suffering; that much of a drag on speeding up of essential industries; makes you that much of an ally with him of the fierce countenance, and the withered arm.

Pretty lady, do you want to put yourself and poor dainty crepe on the side of the savage Hun?

That is where you are as long as you are spending money and keeping people working for you for extravagant and useless things.

THOMAS A. EDISON'S BIRTHDAY

New York, Feb. 11.—Today was Thomas A. Edison's seventy-first birthday anniversary and the occasion was celebrated here with a luncheon by the threescore of his old associates who have organized the Association of Edison Pioneers. Mr. Edison was cheered by their congratulations and good wishes, although he was unable to be present because of his Government work. The famous inventor is reported to be in excellent health and able to work his usual 18 hours a day.

G. O. P. DINNER TO BE DRY

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 11.—The nineteenth annual dinner of the Association of Young Republicans of Missouri to be held in this city tomorrow night is to be absolutely dry. The executive committee of the association has decided unanimously to omit the cocktails and the wine from the menu. More than 700 Republicans from all parts of Missouri are expected.

SUGAR

Tuesday Afternoon

The Food Administrator has given us a small quantity of sugar to distribute in 2-pound packages

In order to get an equable distribution we will sell one package to a family; none will be sold to children; the sugar will be sold between the hours of 2 and 4 in the afternoon; all sales cash; no packages reserved; none delivered.

These rules will be strictly adhered to

Thorn Bros.

DON'T let cheap PREMIUMS BLIND YOU to coffee Quality

WHEN you buy good coffee don't expect to get a premium. The cost of a premium always comes out of the quality. We *could* give a premium with Golden Sun Coffee, but the price would have to be increased. You would get a better premium at the 10-cent store, anyway. Golden Sun is chaffless, dustless, extra-strength. Makes more cups to the pound—each cup of delightful flavor, clear in color and free from bitterness. Sold only by grocers.

Golden Sun Coffee

THE WOOLSON SPICE CO. Toledo, Ohio

MISS BOOTH LEAVES BED TO MAKE HER FAMOUS ADDRESS

Boston, Feb. 11.—Miss Evangeline Booth, Commander of The Salvation Army, who left a sick bed to deliver her famous address, "The Stars and Stripes," stirred her large audience to repeated applause when she showed how the American emblem had ever been in the van when liberty was at stake.

Drawing a parallel between the United States flag and the Salvation Army emblem, she said they were both unfurled in Philadelphia and that the same principles were involved in establishing them upon a firm basis for the world's liberty.

The meeting, which was a special welcome to Miss Booth, had particular reference to The Salvation Army War Service, in behalf of which a drive for $1,000,000 will be made from February 12th to February 22nd—Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays.

"Once," said Miss Booth, "an old-time patriot looked out in 'the dawn's early light' to see if just one flag was 'still there'. Today it waves by the side of the grand old union jack from historic St. Paul's Cathedral, and when the young Texan with the Canadians charged up Vimy Ridge with it fluttering from his bayonet, it waved with authority France. Yes—yes—yes! but what for? From the time in that old town of Phiadephia when the continental Congress decided on the Declaration of Independence, when the old bell tolled with chimes of liberty, when a little woman's fingertips put together our national emblem, our flag has waved in token of the principles of liberty, fraternity and equality that are the principles of this nation. I am convinced that America will remain great and increase in geratness only as she adhere to the principes of her embem, the stars and stripes, which is reminding us that it is 'righteousness that exalteth a nation'.

"Oh we Americans! Do we understand it—what it brings to us?" she said, "The opportunity—the liberty of speech, of action, of teaching, of religion! Think of it. You can love your God as you will and serve him as you will. This liberty—how I love it, the heritage of every living creature! But O what it cost! Can we grasp it?"

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

B. M. Fast left yesterday for a business trip to Johnstown.

Whitford Barrett and cousin Willard Barrett left today for Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., after being home on furlough to attend the funeral of their grandmother Mrs. Thomas W. Barrett.

Rev. John P. McCurdy preached two excellent sermons at the Presbyterian church yesterday morning and evening in the absence of Dr. Reeve who was filling the pulpit for Rev. Bieber at Tyrone. Rev. Bieber is convalescing from a serious attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Smith have returned from spending the past week with relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. A. M. Wright is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Caldwell in Tyrone for a few days.

H. C. McCloud and Sam Powell are attending the Hardware convention at New York this week.

Mrs. Leo Dugan, of Osceola, spent the week end with relatives here.

Sergeant Harold Wilson with the ambulance corps at Allentown is home on furlough to visit his mother Mrs. S. V. Wilson of Second street.

Corporal Glasgow Troxell returned to Camp Lee after spending a short furlough with his mother, sister and brother here.

H. B. Powell left yesterday for a business trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Musser left this morning for New York City where they will spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Dowler arrived home last evening from Philadelphia where they spent the past week.

Albert Hess is home from Pittsburgh where he has been attending the University of Pittsburgh.

Sam Stewart has returned from a trip to Philadelphia and New York

Mrs. Frank Reed has returned from attending the board meeting of the Children's Aid society at Pittsburgh

Mrs. Andrew Harwick is spending several days with relatives in Huntingdon.

Lynn Merrow of Allport is attending to business in town.

F. G. Lee of Irvona, is in Clearfield on business.

John Pentz, of DuBois transatcted business in town today.

H. M. Fye of Curwensville, was in town on business today.

Wm. M. Smith of Beccaria is a juror here this week.

L. N. Smith of Osceola, is in town on business.

J. W. Michaels of Karthaus is spending the week in Clearfield.

B. B. McCreight of DuBois, is among the jurors here this week.

James Williams of Bigler, attended to business in town on Saturday.

Msr. Reuben McPherson is visiting her daughter Mrs. John Fulford at DuBois.

Mrs. oynton McPherson is ill at her home on Gulich avenue.

C. H. Barrett of DuBois transacted business at the court hous today.

APPROACHING WEDDING

The marriage of Miss Charlotte Opp Smith, daughter of Ex-Judge and Mrs. Allison O. Smith, to James Theodore Gordon of Philadelphia son of Mrs. George H. Shultz and the late Cyrus Gordon, will take place tomorrow at noon at the Smith home on Second street.

LAST PENNSYLVANIA TRAIN AT 6:35 P. M.

Beginning today the last train on the Pennsylvania Railroad to arrive in Clearfield daily from Tyrone is scheduled to reach here at 6.35 p. m

Acquaintance is frequently the one thing essential to a complete understanding between men who under other circumstances dislike each other.

SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTION OFFER THE DESIGNER FOR ONE YEAR

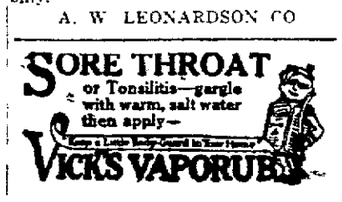
One copy of the Spring Fashion Quarterly including a coupon good for any 15c Standard pattern, all for only 75c.

We have made arrangement with the Standard Fashion Co, New York, to renew their yearly subscription offer. They have sent Mrs Flannigan to Clearfield to take charge of this work for one week. She will be glad to renew all subscriptions about to expire and take orders for new ones at the special offer price of 75c

This offer is good for a short time only.

A. W LEONARDSON CO

SORE THROAT or Tonsilitis—gargle with warm, salt water then apply—



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ANOTHER CONGRESS CANDIDATE

John Rischelsen, former pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Bradford, Pa., has entered the lists as a Republican candidate for congress from the twenty-first district.

W. M. Hoyt of Lumber City was a Clearfield visitor today and called at this office to subscribe for the "Progress."

Great Sale of RUGS

A Sale That Will Place Many A New Floor Covering In The Homes of Clearfield and Vicinity On Account of The Exceedingly Low Prices

Beginning Thursday, February 14th and continuing until the closing of the store on Saturday night we will offer our entire stock of rugs at prices that are just a trifle more than the wholesale cost of these rugs today.

Get ready for spring housecleaning by taking advantage of these astonishingly low prices to renew the floor coverings of your home that are beginning to look shabby after the hard winter's wear.

All Rugs Sold During The Sale For Cash Only

RAG RUG SPECIALS

These rugs are well woven of clean rags and all have fringe of contrasting color. All have fancy stripe border. Colors blue, pink, gray and some hit-and-miss combinations.

24 x 36 Rag rugs. A 75c value for **48c**
27 x 54 Rag rugs. A $1.25 value for **89c**
30 x 60 Rag rugs. A $1.50 value for **$1.10**
36 x 72 Rag rugs. A $1.75 value for **$1.39**
6 x 9 Rag rugs. A $5.50 value for **$4.48**
8 x 10 Rag rugs. An $8 value for **$6.48**
9 x 12 Rag rugs. A $10 value for **$8.49**

Axminster Rugs In The Sale

We mention a few of the great money-saving opportunities in these staple Axminster rugs. The color schemes are good and the weaving is perfect.

36 x 72 Axminster Rugs. A regular $1.50 rug at **$3.25**
9 x 12 Axminster rugs. A regular $30 rug for .. **$24.98**
9 x 12 Axminter rugs. A regular $35 rug for .. **$27.48**

Two Specials In Smyrna And Wiltons

A beautiful mottled Smyrna rug 18 by 36 inches. We've sold lots of them at $1.50 but during this sale they will go at ... **98c**

A Special Drive In Brussels Rugs

Tapestry Brussels rugs are to the furniture store what sugar is to the grocer and yet we have placed some of our best values in this sale at greatly reduced prices.

9 x 12 Brussels Rugs. Regular at $20. Sale price **$17.29**
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9 x 12 Brussels rugs. Regular at $18. Sale price **$14.98**
9 x 12 Brussels rugs. Regular at $25. Sale price **$20.98**

New Lot Of Those Little Axminsters

This is the third shipment of these little rugs and the folks who did not get one or more when the other shipments were here should take advantage of this lot. 27 x 54 size and a $3 value for **$1.95**

Bozart And Fibre Rugs

It will pay you to buy one of these for your summer porch. The number of these is limited so you better get these while they are here.

27 x 54 Size. A $1.75 value for **$1.38**
9 x 12 Size. A $11 value for **$8.98**

Just one Royal Wilton Velvet rug. Full room size—9 x 12—in the most beautiful color scheme imaginable. This is the real-est bargain of the sale. We had priced it at $50 but will sell it for **$37.50**

Knepp's Furniture Store

Second Street Clearfield, Pa.

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